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In re Application of :

Michael D. McCutchan :

Serial No. 09/905,540 :

Confirmation No. 3927 :

Filed July 13, 2001 :

For: KIT CONTAINING A SNACK FOOD AND DIP CONDIMENT

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed August 28, 2001. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

[X] No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

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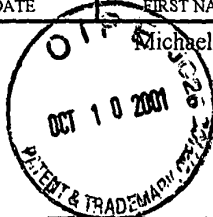


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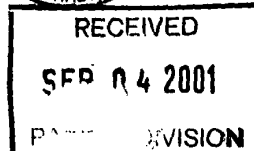


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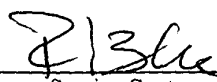
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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